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JANUARY 1962

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Are there those who will make, and keep, some New Year's resolutions?

Notice To Creditors And Claimants

In the Estate of WILLIAM PLAMONDON, late of Plamondon, in the Province of Alberta, who died on the 14th day of August, A.D. 1961.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named must file with the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of February, A.D. 1962, a full statement of their claims and of securities held by them.

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LAC LA BICHE

Andy Kosekewich Wins First Prize In Search For Talent

LAC LA BICHE — Twelve-year-old Andy Kosekewich, Craigend, won first prize at the recent ACT-CFRN Search for Talent Show held in the Memorial Hall recently. The show was held under the auspices of the Lac la Biche Ladies' Auxiliary to the Legion, with Mrs. J. Williams in charge of arrangements.

Performing on both the saxophone and accordion, Andy displayed unusual talent for his age.

Second prize went to Joanne Hamar with a saxophone solo, accompanied by Lynn Breau at the piano. Both girls are from Lac la Biche.

Third prize winner was Louise Hogveit, Rich Lake, with an accordion selection.

All four winners won cash awards donated by Northwestern Utilities.

Other contestants were: Marshal and Leo Tremblay, Lac la Biche, violin and guitar; Nick Torresan, Venice, vocal solo with guitar; Evangelical Free Church Quartette; Larry McEachern, Hylo, vocal solo with electric guitar; Mr. and Mrs. J. Plett, Lac la Biche, vocal duet; Mrs. H. Mawson, Lac la Biche, vocal solo; Leo Tremblay, Lac la Biche, solo with guitar; Douglas Dodds, vocal solo; The Three Buckaroos, Caslan, Margaret, Ronnie and Arthur Henson, vocal trio with guitar accompaniment by Mildred Ladouceur; Orchestra selection by The Odd Beats, Lac la Biche, Don Stubberfield, piano, William Diachuk, electric guitar, Gary Badry, drums; Brian Cadieux, vocal solo with guitar; Harry Onciul and Ray Kumpula, Rich Lake, violin and accordion selection; Maggie Cardinal, Caslan, vocal solo with guitar; Irene Powder, Caslan, vocal solo with guitar.

The contestants were judged by Jim New of Edmonton.

Eddy Fyith won the wrist watch given as a door prize and Orest Bereska won the Christensen shirt.

A cheque for $25 from Molson's Brewery was presented to Mrs. Roy Whitford, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Legion. A similar amount from the same company was presented to the Crippled Children's Fund.

The show also featured Spotlight Parade, under the direction of Bob Halliday and starring Johnny Forrest, accordionist, George Lund, comedian, Johnny Kerr, vocalist and dancer, Maureen McGrath, vocalist and dancer, and Molly Kvittem, pianist and accompanist.

Miss Dianne Wills of Pibroch, a winner in last year's show, was guest artist and received a cash award, courtesy of Weber Bros. Agencies of Edmonton, and a beautiful corsage from Des Rosiers Florists, Edmonton.

At the commencement of the show, the Trebleairs of Edmonton, Vickie Sawchuk, Helen Muhalchuk and Donna Maslyk sang several numbers.

Between part one and part two of the program, Mayor Maccagno was introduced and given opportunity to welcome the show to Lac la Biche.

Prize winners in last year's Search for Talent at Lac la Biche were: 1st, Lynn Breau, piano solo; 2nd, Louise Hogetveit, accordion solo; 3rd, Gillman Moe, vocal solo. Miss Breau took part in the semi-finals held at Vegreville.

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Good shoe service in repairs
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Town of Lac la Biche

NOTICE

The Town of Lac la Biche is considering placing welcome signs at the main entrances to the Town.

Have you a good idea for a slogan?
What should be mentioned on such a sign?
How would you arrange it?

You are invited to send your suggestions to the Town Secretary. You may have just the right idea that the Town can use.

F. D. CREIGHTON,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Town of Lac la Biche.

Lac La Biche School Division No. 51

Call For Nominations For Board Of School Division

(Section 132(1))

Nominations for the office of divisional trustee for Sub-division No. 3 of the Lac la Biche School Division No. 51 of the Province of Alberta will be received by the undersigned at his office in the town of Lac la Biche, Alberta, until 5:00 o'clock on Monday, the 15th day of January, 1962.

Nomination and acceptance forms (Forms G and H) may be obtained from the secretary of your School District, or from the undersigned.

S. J. CLARKE, Secretary,
Lac la Biche School Division No. 51,
Lac la Biche, Alberta.

THIS IS SPORT?

"YOU WOULD SHOW UP JUST AS I HAVE A BITE!"

Pete Warawa Opens New Shoe Clinic At Lac La Biche

Pete Warawa, well known in the district, has opened the 'Lac la Biche Shoe Clinic' next to Tkachuk's General Store.

Mr. Warawa, who was raised in the Craigend district, served in world war 2. After the war, he was employed in Vancouver until he suffered an accident and was on compensation for four years. Later he enrolled at the Vancouver Vocational Training Institute and learned the trade of shoe repairing. Now he is endeavoring to establish himself in business here to serve the town and surrounding district.

Mr. Warawa is married and has three sons, Fred, 18, Gerald, 13 and Richard 8.

Mrs. Fischer Hurt In Highway Mishap

LAC LA BICHE — Details are lacking, but it is known that a serious accident occurred near Lac la Biche Mission the night of Dec. 15. A car, driven by Manley Fischer of Lac la Biche, crashed into a light truck which had backed onto the highway without regard for the oncoming car. The driver of the truck is reported to have fled the scene, and was arrested shortly after by Lac la Biche town police, who were called to assist the RCMP.

Mrs. Fischer is in local hospital with facial lacerations, while Mr. Fischer escaped with only a shaking up. An infant daughter, who was sleeping in the back seat of the vehicle, was uninjured. Damage to the car was unofficially given as $1800.

No estimate was given on damage to the truck. Driver of the truck is in custody awaiting trial.

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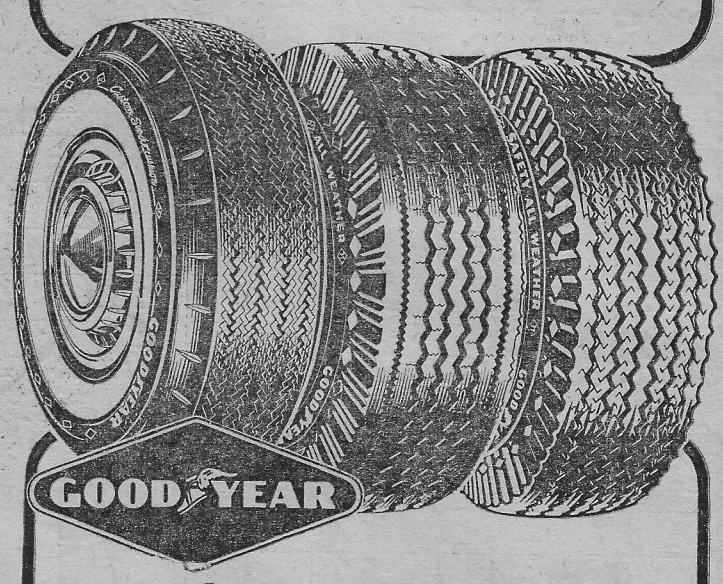

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BEST TIRE VALUES IN TOWN

Mrs. R. Rice, 81, Passes At Edson

LAC LA BICHE — The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. W. E. Coast, whose mother, Mrs. R. Rice passed away recently in the Edson Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Mrs. Rice, who was 81 years of age, is survived by her husband; one son, R. G. Rice, Edmonton, and three daughters, Mrs. T. E. Williamson, Edson, Mrs. D. H. Johnston, Edmonton and Mrs. W. E. Coast, Lac la Biche.

Funeral services were conducted from the Edson Anglican Church with with burial in Edson.

Mr. Rice is spending several weeks with his daughter here.

Hospital News

LAC LA BICHE — Patients admitted to St. Catherine's Hospital for the week ending Dec. 16:

Mrs. William Sackko, Lac la Biche; Harry Hrychuk, Waterways; Wilfred Wilson, Lac la Biche; Janice Plamondon, Plamondon; Mrs. Katyrina Stefanyk, Lac la Biche; Leo Thompson, Kikino; Clarence Bouvier, Mrs. Laurent L'Heureux, Lac la Biche; Eli Trefanenko, Wandering River; Blair Schaub, Plamondon; Arthur Germain, Breynat; Phyllis Pruden, Beaver Lake; Richard Bourque, Lac la Biche; Juliette Germain, Atmore; Grace Stratichuk, Hylo; Mrs. Jerry Duchnych, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Lucille McDonald, Venice; Elaine Waine, Rich Lake; Elmer Cardinal, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Allan Reid, Fork Lake; Mrs. Roderick Baldwin, Atmore; Aurele Turgeon, Normandeau; Mike Gordey, Wandering River; Archie Quintal, Owl River;

Arthur Cardinal, Lac la Biche; Norman Dakin, Atmore; Mrs. Bessie Dent, Amesbury; Solomon Desjarlais, Florence Deschambeau, Imperial Mills; Norman J. Cardinal, Caslan; Emeline Desjarlais, Elinor Lake; Arsene Duperron, Plamondon; Mrs. Francoise Genoud, Atmore; Laurence Cardinal, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Everett Smith, Amesbury; Michael Hamar, Mrs. Manly Fischer, Darcy Prokopchuk, Diana Tremblay, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Margaret Fischer, Atmore; Harold L'Heureux, Egg Lake; Patricia Cardinal, Caslan; Mrs. Peter Marchuk, Sarrail; Adeline Desjarlais, and Julia Gladue, Normandeau.

Born to: Mr. and Mrs. Jacques Tremblay, Lac la Biche, Dec. 11, a baby boy.

The hypocrite is the guy who put the "sin" in sincerity.

Councillors Of Lac La Biche Decline To Buy "Iron Horse"

All councillors and the mayor and secretary were present at the December meeting of Lac la Biche town council.

A letter was read from a man in Omaha, Neb., urging the town to purchase one of the remaining steam locomotives from the NAR as a 'Lasting memento of the civilizing influence of the Iron Horse'. According to C. E Burroughs, there are 11 of the NAR steamers remaining and they are now in the hands of a scrap iron firm. He is anxious to save a few of them from the scrap dealer's torch, and hoped the town would take up the matter as a project. While the council had no objection to the sentiment of Mr. Burroughs' proposal, it was felt that such an expenditure, $6,500, could hardly be justified at a time when the town has difficulty in meeting an annual budget which has been kept rigidly to the bare necessities.

A letter was read from Constable Ben Rizzoli thanking the council for its generosity in allowing him to take the municipal police training course which he just completed in Edmonton.

A letter was read from Albert Alex, asking permission to open a general store business in the town. Permission was granted.

The question of numbering streets and houses was brought up and a rough tentative plan was presented by one of the councillors. The secretary was asked to forward the plan to the office of the provincial town planner for suggestions. The idea of erecting welcome signs at the entrances to the town was also discussed, and it was decided that the public should be given an opportunity to offer suggestions for such a sign.

The subject of parking at the curling rink was introduced, as it appeared there had been some traffic snarls in the area during the current bonspiel.

A suggested plan for controlling parking in the area of both the curling and skating rinks was presented and studied. It was suggested that a by-law be prepared, but for the present the secretary was instructed to gather all traffic regulations for the next meeting, with a view to reviewing the over-all traffic picture and formulating one by-law to take care of the traffic problem throughout the whole town. It was pointed out that there is no shortage of parking space at the rinks, but thoughtless motorists crowd into the spaces nearest the entrances and block the outlet for others. Some signs are to be purchased, and the problem should not be too difficult to overcome.

In adjourning the meeting the mayor made it clear that the next regular meeting would be on Wednesday, Dec. 27, due to the fact that the regular date of December 26 falls on a holiday.

Selfishness destroys character and it will destroy a nation.

Rawleigh Business now open in Lac la Biche. Trade well established. Good profits. Products furnished on Credit. Write Rawleigh's, 589 Henry Ave., Dept. GG 144, Winnipeg 2, Man.

Hospital News

Patients admitted to St. Catherine's Hospital, Lac la Biche, week ending Dec. 23: Boostrom, Marilyn, Imperial Mills; Shirley Arnfinson, Lac la Biche; Ramona Plamondon, Plamondon; Mrs. Ernest Laboucane, Virginia Letourneau, Anita Bowen, Conklin; Clifford Lameman, Jerry Contois, Lac la Biche; Ricky Reid, Caslan; Jerry Cardinal, Plamondon; Mrs. John Buchanan, Arnold Boostrom, Imperial Mills; Kenneth Cadieux, Lac la Biche; Racque la Croix, Mrs. Lucille McDonald, Venice; Terry Dragon, Plamondon; Mike Zalewsky, Hylo; Mrs. Andrew Heppner, Lac la Biche; Doris Cardinal, Imperial Mills; David Cardinal, Conklin; Lawrence Bourque, Lac la Biche; Leona Anderson, Darlene Uganecz, Mrs. Emile Boucher, Cecile Laboucane, David Cadieux, Lac la Biche; Cleophas Littlechilds, McRae; Violet Contois, Georgina Reid, Fork Lake; William Krawchuk, Caslan; Alvina Berland, Barnegat; Mrs. Albert Stratichuk, Lac la Biche; Larry Semashkewich, Spruce Valley; Mrs. Everett Smith, Amesbury; Alfred Toutant, Lac la Biche; Milton Cardinal, Lac la Biche; Debra Loreen Lechky, Boyle; Mrs. Rudolph Michetti, Yvonne Cardinal, Imperial Mills; Ralph Hamelin, Philomena; Orval Jenkins, Grassland.

Legion Members Sponsor Party

The Lac la Biche Canadian Legion held its annual Christmas party in the Memorial Hall Dec. 20. Some 80 members and guests enjoyed a buffet supper of turkey with all the trimmings, served by the Ladies' Auxiliary. The Christmas doll raffle was won by Mrs. M. Maccagno.

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to consult on visual problems. Appointments arranged in advance.
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Sunday — Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
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Drama in Technicolor
Starring Doris Day, Rex Harrison, John Gavin, Myrna Loy
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Wed. & Thurs., Jan. 3-4—
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Starring Stewart Granger, Haya Harareet, Bernard Lee
So perfect a crime, so clever a criminal, so dangerous a scheme. Find the secret before it finds you. Who was the shadowy master criminal?
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Starring Fess Parker, Dorothy McGuire, Kevin Corcoran, Tommy Kirk.
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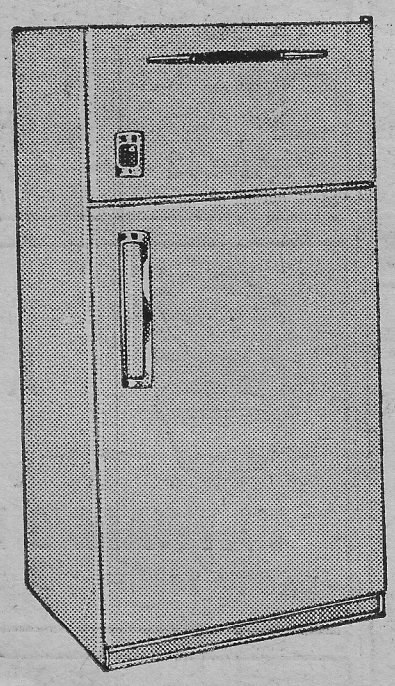
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Who Will Be LAC LA BICHE'S First Baby of 1962?

1962 Baby Honored By Gifts From Lac La Biche Merchants

A baby will be born in Lac la Biche after the close of the year 1961 and he will be honored by all as "Mr. New Year" of Lac la Biche.

With this honor comes many wonderful gifts for the baby and parents. Let's just review some of them now:

One of the things that seems to be happening to babies all the time is usually a bath. So Hayward's Lumber Co. Ltd. decided a baby bath tub would make an excellent gift.

Of course, all this looking after a baby can make a fellow hungry, so Johnny's Cafe has decided to solve this by offering a dinner for Mom and Dad, with their compliments.

Lacland Sales and Service are looking to the future. Dad has a $100 voucher waiting for him, and it's good on any 35, 65, 85 or 88 Massey-Ferguson tractor.

But when babies go a-visiting, they usually get dressed up for it. A pretty nylon dress will be just the right thing to fit the occasion, and that's the gift offered by Robinson Stores.

How would Mom like a $5 cash voucher to use as she sees fit to buy baby something. This generous offer is made by the York Hotel and certainly will be a most welcome gift.

And from the management and staff of the York Hotel Cafe, there's a wholesome, delicious meal for the two parents of the New Year's Baby.

If the parents happen to be in need of a new appliance of some sort, there's a $25 certificate on any appliance at Marshall-Wells Store. It's redeemable only during the January one cent sale.

A big gift that will keep Dad's machinery well supplied is being offered by Charles Lebas, Imperial Oil Bulk Sales. He has five gallons of Marvelube motor oil to help keeping things in A-1 running shape.

The way a motorist uses the automobile horn is a test of good manners.

$25.00 Certificate

on any Appliance - Redeemable only during the January One-Cent Sale.

MARSHALL-WELLS STORE

Harry Lobay, Owner
John Deere Dealer

Phone 29 Lac la Biche

For the First Born in the Lac la Biche Hospital in 1962 . . .

A $5.00 Cash Voucher

So that Mom can choose just what the Baby Needs.

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Macleod's have a

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Macleod's Authorized Dealer

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HI, LITTLE BABY,

and Congratulations to your parents.

We have 25 quarts of milk for you.

Lac la Biche Creamery Ltd.

Phone 19 LAC LA BICHE

Welcome 1962 New Year Baby!

For Mom & Dad we have a Very Special Dinner for Two

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LAC LA BICHE Alta.

Welcome Little Baby!

A Baby Bath Tub

is Our Gift to You

HAYWARD'S LUMBER CO. LTD.

LAC LA BICHE Phone 23 Alberta

Hi, New Year Baby!

We have a Carton of 10 Lube Tubes for the Family.

H. G. MAWSON

B-A Bulk Sales — Cockshutt Agent

LAC LA BICHE Phone 114 Alberta

To The Proud Parents . . .

We Will Give

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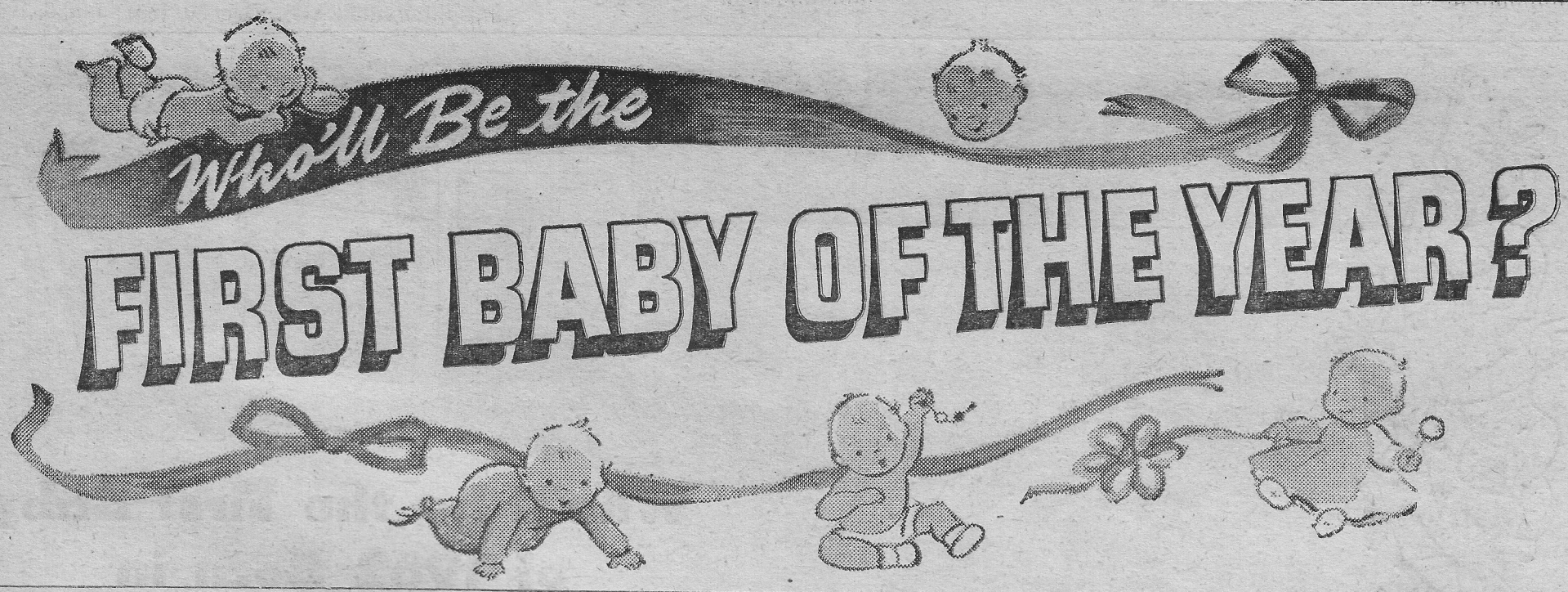
LAC LA BICHE Phone 43 Alberta



Lac La Biche Boasts Biggest Baby Contest Of New Year

There's an air of excitement in the town of Lac la Biche every year about this time. The merchants have given their wholehearted support to the New Year's Baby Contest and came up with some lovely and useful prizes.

Twenty-five quarts of milk should prove to be a satisfying gift to the family of the New Year's baby. This offer is made by Lac la Biche Creamery Ltd.

To keep baby clean and neat, Stewart Drug has chosen a comb and brush set, as well as bottles of baby oil, lotion and powder.

There's something for the family in the form of a $3 voucher coming from the Lac la Biche Garage.

Any TV or radio troubles will be solved by Lac la Biche Electric and Heating. They have a $10 voucher for Mom and Dad on repairs to any radio or TV.

Maybe Dad should give sweets to his sweetie, but anyway, Lakeview Agency is risking it and offering a box of chocolates to Mom. Nothing to stop Dad from sharing them, is there?

Eli's General Store has a $2 voucher to help feed that extra little mouth in the new family.

These gift certificates certainly help the family budget. This is the reason that the Doodlebug Store has a $3 gift for the new "little doodle bug"

Food will be no problem for Mom and Dad for awhile. Michael Hamar Limited has two cases of Gerber's baby food for the newcomer.

A $25 voucher on any appliance or farm machinery handled by the firm is offered by George Homeniuk.

Keeping equipment well oiled and greased is important to the life of any machinery. Dad will have no problem here as H. G. Mawson BA Bulk Sales offers him a carton of 10 Lube Tubes.

Fox Smarter

REDBOURN, England — A fox fled across a busy six-lane highway here pursued by six hounds.

The fox made it, but traffic got his pursuers.

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Mrs. Dave Onciul made a trip to Edmonton where she visited Mary in a city hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hillary and David motored to Calgary.

Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Suhan are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Miller, who have just returned from Saskatchewan, and Mr. and Mrs. Eli Suhan and Dale of Golden, B.C.

To the New Year's Baby

We Will Give a

Birthday Cake with One Candle

PATRY'S BAKERY

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Mother can have Two Loads of Clothes Washed and Dried Free at

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LAC LA BICHE Alberta

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Congratulations & Best Wishes to the Proud Parents.

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LAC LA BICHE Alberta

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For Dad We Have

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Dinner for Mom & Dad

Compliments of

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Who'll be the First Baby of 1962 Born in

LAC LA BICHE HOSPITAL

Host Of Presents Ready In Lac La Biche For "Winner"

There's a host of gifts in store of the first baby born in St. Catherine's Hospital in Lac la Biche. This is probably the biggest New Year Baby Contest in any rural community in Alberta.

Here's a sample of what Lac la Biche merchants have for the baby, mom or dad.

If the family likes going to the movies, there's a pleasant surprise in store from the Aurora Theatre. Twenty-four free theatre tickets is the gift of welcome to the family of the New Year's baby.

Getting to the show will be no expense for Dad, either, for Lac la Biche Sales and Service have $3 worth of dependable B-A gasoline for the family car. That should easily do the trick.

Diapers are always a problem with new babies, and it's no picnic trying to hang them out to dry when its 10 or 20 below. For that reason the Lac la Biche Laundromat will wash and dry two loads of diapers or other clothes for Mom.

Everyone who has a birthday should have a birthday cake. Patry's Bakery thinks along this line and will even put a candle on it to make the celebration complete.

What's nicer than a good meal. Mom will be ready for a treat soon after she's home. Royal Cafe in Lac la Biche has a very special dinner for two whenever the proud parents feel the urge to eat out.

Babies are often hungry little things. This very practical thought prompts the Hudson's Bay Company in Lac la Biche to once again offer a case of Heinz baby food for the 1962 winner.

Of course, if Mom's going to take baby around and show him off, then the baby blanket from Macleod's will be a most appreciated cosy gift.

Before getting started to go anywhere, Dad can make certain his car is in tip top condition by taking it to Triway Service and getting a free grease job and oil change.

Tire trouble can also plague the family car. That's why Dave and Richard's Tire and Radiator Shop have a useful gift for the folks—a car tube.

For a Sunday treat out for the parents, the Lac la Biche Hotel Cafe has a very thoughtful gift—dinner for two "on the house."

Something for the Family

A $3.00 Voucher

FROM

LAC LA BICHE GARAGE

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To Mother of the New Year Baby

—A Box of Chocolates—

LAKEVIEW AGENCY

E. J. Woynarowich, Notary Public — Public Accountant - General Insurance

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Congratulations & Best Wishes

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We have a Pretty Nylon Dress for the Baby.

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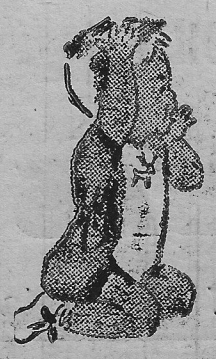

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A Comb & Brush Set and Oil, Lotion & Powder from

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1962 Baby Contest in LAC LA BICHE

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Who Will the Lucky Winner Be?

New Baby Population Falls Behind Yearly 225 Average

The new baby population in Lac la Biche has been down quite a bit this year. The average number of babies born at St. Catherine's Hospital is 225 yearly. Up to December 21, only 138 new arrivals had been recorded.

Sister Superior Rosalie Marie of the Daughters of Jesus is in charge of the $10 bed capacity hospital which has 14 basinettes. Included in the staff of 52 are seven RN's.

Dr. D. Bouvier and Dr. W. Cadzow are attending physicians.

The building behind the present hospital, which faces onto the lake, is an old railroad hotel. From 1937 to 1955 it was used as the town hospital. The modern hospital now serving Lac la Biche was opened in 1955 and the older building is now used as a staff residence.

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Spruce Valley

Jacob Bogdon has returned from Spirit River where he visited friends.

Mrs. Katie Direckson and youngest son were recent visitors to Edmonton.

Mrs. Mary Zilinski, Lorna and Allen attended the 4-H Club Bake Sale and Christmas concert when they were in Athabasca.

Nick Zilinski and Steve Mahaden were in Edmonton recently.

Bill Mahaden of Edmonton visied relatives over a weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Skarvronik were visiting in Lac la Biche in December.

Grassland Wins From Athabasca

GRASSLAND — The Grassland girls' basketball team were visitors in Athabasca on Friday, December 15 and in a lively game defeated the Athabasca team 29 to 12.

Players on the Grassland team are Marian Pullishy and Antonia Teschuk, right forwards, Jean Jenkins, left forward, Nancy Petryk and Joyce Romanyschen, centres, Jeannette Semeniuk and Shirley Bowen, right guards, and Verna Jenkins and Lorna Zilinski, left guards. The top scorer was Marian Pullishy. The only injury sustained was by Jean Jenkins whose knee was hurt quite badly.

The Grassland girls, in their blue, gold and white uniforms, coached by Mr. Luchka, played an active game in the first half of play, and took the lead 10 to 7.

The last half was more active when once again Grassland led by a score of 19 to 5, thus making the final score 29 to 12 in favor of Grassland.

The Grassland girls have not been defeated for the past three years and last year won a plaque when they won from the Boyle team at the Boyle Tournament. They hope to keep their championship this year.

Mr., Mrs. Plamondon Married 22 Years

PLAMONDON — Mr. and Mrs. George Plamondon celebrated their 22nd wedding anniversary recently and were greeted with good wishes for many more years together.

They expressed their thanks over the microphone to all those present. Rev. Fr. Edmond Croteau of Atmore proposed the toast.

Frank Devono, 84, Dies In Edmonton

HYLO — Frank Devono, an old-time resident of this district, recently passed away at the age of 84 years in an Edmonton hospital after a long illness.

He homesteaded east of Hylo and retired in 1947 when he sold his farm to A. Grandinetti. He is survived by his wife in Italy and two sons, one of whom resides in Edmonton and the other in the United States.

Faith in anything does not waver with the shifting winds of fortune.

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a Car Tube for the Family Car

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For the Parents of the New Year Baby Born in Lac la Biche Hospital . . .

We have a DINNER for TWO.

YORK HOTEL CAFE

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We Have a $3.00 Gift for the Little Doodlebug

DOODLEBUG STORE

John & Eddie

PHONE 278

LAC LA BICHE Alta.

For the Father of the New Year's Baby

GREASE JOB and OIL CHANGE

from

TRIWAY SERVICE

PONTIAC - BUICK - GMC

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The Hungry New Year Baby will enjoy

GERBERS BABY FOOD

—Two Cases of it—

to mark his welcome arrival.

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Const. Ben Rizzoli Completes Training Course For Police

LAC LA BICHE — Constable Ben Rizzoli is back on duty after successfully completing the government-sponsored six weeks' training course for municipal police, held in Edmonton Oct. 30-Dec. 8.

The subjects taught included Criminal Code, Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act, Liquor Control Act, Summary Convictions Act, Mental Diseases Act, Child Welfare Act, Police Act, Town and Village Act, Fingerprinting and First Aid.

Members of the staff in charge were: Inspector E. E. Buchanan, director of training, attorney-general's department; J. Jones, school commandant, attorney-general's department; Chief Constable Anthony, Edmonton City Police; Ass't/Commissioner L. Bingham, RCM Police; Inspector Stephenson, Edmonton City Police.

The instructors were Sergeant Bligh, RCM Police, Corporal Jones, RCM Police, Sgt./Major Rodger, Const. Underhill, Inspector McNicol, Staff/Sgt. Love, Staff/Sgt. Bryant and Sergeant Tacholok all of Edmonton City Police.

Twenty-seven municipal police attended the course from central and northern Alberta. On completion of the course, the passout parade was held from the City Police Gym and the banquet which concluded the day's events was held in the Paddock Banquet Room. Some 90 guests, including the instructors and their wives and the students and wives attended.

Presentation of certificates was made by H. J. Wilson, QC, deputy attorney general. Addresses were given by Hon. Mr. Justice H. C. Farthing, trial division supreme court, and Hon. J. Percy Page, lieutenant-governor of Alberta. Valedictorian was Constable R. H. Hault, Hinton.

Sergeant Bligh, who was one of the instructors, was for several years a member of the RCMP detachment in Lac la Biche, and Const. J. W. Dixon, Drayton Valley, who attended the course, served as police officer in Lac la Biche for some time.

Mrs. Ben Rizzoli and daughter Shirley and Const. W. and Mrs. Farus attended the passout parade. Mrs. Rizzoli was also a guest at the banquet when her husband received his certificate.

McMurray Chamber Of Commerce Meet

McMURRAY — As a result of a letter received from the AMA Red Deer office, the Chamber of Commerce at its December meeting decided that a committee be formed to collect material preparatory to producing a pamphlet relating the early history and providing general information of McMurray and district.

The Chamber was pleased to hear that United Van Lines planned on shipping in household effects via a highway trailer loaded on a railway car, thus doing away with the expensive and time consuming chore of crating and uncrating.

The dangerous condition of the airport hill, due to the lack of sanding, was discussed. Concern was expressed especially in view of the fact that a school bus travels the road.

The possibility of purchasing space at the Edmonton Trade Fair is to be thoroughly explored by a committee.

The meeting listened to a tape recording of Mr. W. Hill being interviewed and questioned on McMurray history.

Bayview

Arthur Varin Jr. spent a few days in Edmonton recently.

Roger Gauthier was in Grande Prairie for a few days.

L. Brocage left recently for Edmonton where he planned to take a plane to Germany. Mr. Dube is looking after the mink ranch while Mr. Brocage is away.

TO EVERYONE
A VERY HAPPY
NEW YEAR!

Stewart's Rexall Drug Store
Ph. 62 Lac la Biche

Lac la Biche

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Fischer have moved to Little Red River, over 100 miles northeast of Peace River town, where Stanley will be employed by the Peace River forestry division.

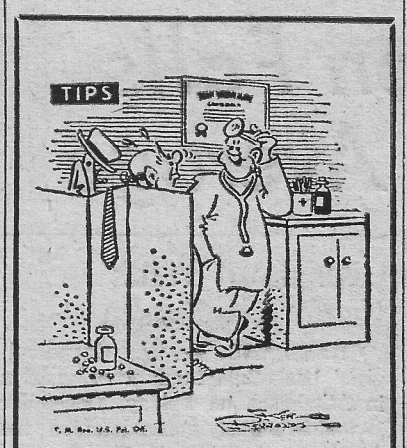
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chester spent Christmas with their daughter Joyce and family in Edmonton. Later, they visited relatives in Calgary and went on to Chilliwack and Vancouver, where they plan to spend a couple of weeks holiday.

Warren Williams, who works for the DPW on the MacKenzie Highway, spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mawson and daughters were with Mr. Mawsons' parents in Edmonton at Christmas.

Mrs. J. Cadzow, Edmonton, is spending the Christmas season with her son, Dr. W. Cadzow and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wolstenholme and grandson Rickie McLea left Dec. 28 for Calgary where Rickie will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter McLea. Mr. and Mrs. Wolstenholme plan to travel on to Vancouver to be with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. K. Jacobson and family for several days.



"If you was a car—that body shop in the Alberta Country Life Classifieds could probably put you back in shape!"

In Russia they have a TV in every hotel room—only it watches you.

Joe Drezick Reports FUA Convention

SPRUCE VALLEY — At the December meeting of the Farmers Union held at the Spruce Valley Hall, Joe Drezick, local delegate to the Convention in Edmonton, gave a very interesting report in which he covered every subject brought before the Convention.

Following the meeting a social hour was enjoyed.

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